

1 **IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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 3 Applicant.....Microsoft Corporation
 4 Attorney's Docket No.MS1-553US
 5 Title: Computer-Aided Reading System and Method with Cross-Language Reading
 Wizard

6 **DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

7 As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

8 My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to
 9 my name.

10 I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed
 11 below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the
 12 subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention
 13 identified above, entitled "Computer-Aided Reading System and Method with
 Cross-Language Reading Wizard," the specification of which is attached hereto.

14 I have reviewed and understand the content of the above-identified
 15 specification, including the claims.

16 I hereby claim benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of United States Provisional
 17 Application 60/199,288, filed April 24, 2000.

18 I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to
 19 patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a), including
 20 any information which became available between the filing date of the prior
 21 application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

22 PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATIONS: no applications for foreign patents or
 23 inventor's certificates have been filed prior to the date of execution of this
 24 declaration.

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Table 1. Demographic characteristics of the study population	
Age (years)	Mean (SD)
Male	55.2 (10.5)
Female	56.8 (11.2)
Marital status	
Married	78.5%
Single	21.5%
Education level	
High school or above	65.2%
Below high school	34.8%
Occupation	
White collar	45.1%
Blue collar	54.9%
Income (USD/month)	
< 1000	12.3%
1000-2000	35.7%
2000-3000	28.9%
> 3000	23.1%
Health insurance	
Yes	89.4%
No	10.6%
Comorbidities	
Hypertension	42.1%
Diabetes	18.5%
Cholesterol	31.2%
Smoking status	
Current smoker	15.3%
Former smoker	22.7%
Non-smoker	62.0%
Alcohol consumption	
Regular	8.9%
Occasional	25.4%
Never	65.7%